## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No. 35998 First Inventor Yasuto Onitsuka Transfer Carrier for Flexible Printed

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Transmitted herewith for filing by a large entity is the patent application of:

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For:

TRANSFER CARRIER FOR FLEXIBLE PRINTED CIRCUIT

BOARD AND ELECTRONIC PARTS MOUNTING METHOD TO FLEXIBLE PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD

15 sheets of formal drawings are included.

An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. is included along with a Recordation Form Cover Sheet. Please record and return the assignment to the undersigned.

Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 on the basis of the following foreign application:

Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-229777 filed August 7, 2002.

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